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THE HORROR GROWS

Martinique Is Not Alone In Distress Due To Belching Volcanos.

ST. VINCENT IN DANGER

Volcano On Island In British West Indies Threatens To Work Untold Damage.

All Along the Lesser Antilles the Feeling Is At The Highest Tension.

St. Thomas, D. W. I., May 12.—St. Pierre was destroyed in the twinkling of an eye. Not 40 of the inhabitants of the city escaped. Some of the outlying parishes of the island of Martinique have been inundated. The whole northern portion of the island is burning; it has been denuded of vegetation and is a rocky wilderness.

The latest news received here from St. Vincent says the number of dead there is supposed to reach 500, the majority of whom have not been buried.

It is reported that Fort DeFrance, Island of Martinique, is threatened, and there is frightful tension everywhere.

Paris, May 12.—The minister of marine, M. De Lanessan, has received a cable dispatch from the commander of the French cruiser Suchet, dated Fort DeFrance, Martinique, saying that he has conducted a search at St. Pierre. The captain reports that the town is now a mere heap of smoking ruins, under which the victims of the catastrophe are buried. The Suchet was able to convey some of the inhabitants of Le Precheur to Fort DeFrance, but could not reach the northernmost part of the island on account of the dense rain of ashes.

The captain of the Suchet further reported that the Mont Pelee volcano still has a threatening aspect. Subterranean rumblings are still heard, flashes of flame still belch from the volcano, and stones are thrown out with immense force.

A dispatch received at the colonial office here from Fort DeFrance says there is no doubt that Governor Moutet and the commander of the troops at St. Pierre, Colonel Dain, are dead. Other dispatches confirm the reports that the American and British consuls and their families perished.

M. Bloch, inspector of finance, and M. Labarthe, the colonial minister's secretary, who have been dispatched by the government to Martinique, sailed from Brest Sunday on board the French cruiser D'Assas, which carries money, provisions and other stores for the relief of the Martinique sufferers.

A French cable official who went to St. Pierre reports that the company's office has been burned to ashes and that there is no trace of the staff. This official adds that the cremation of the bodies of the victims has begun and that the cable steamer Puyouy Quertier is proceeding to repair the northern cable. The waves of lava are still reported to be flowing northward. They have extended even to Le Carbet.

DETAILS COMING IN

Report From Nearby Point Gives Further Light On Disaster.

Fort DeFrance, Island of Martinique, May 12.—Advice received here from the vicinity of St. Pierre (10 miles from here) contain further details of the terrible volcanic upheaval which resulted in the utter destruction of that town and the death of nearly all its inhabitants.

The crater of Mont Pelee has been wearing its "smoke cap" since the third of May, but there was nothing until last Monday to indicate that there was the slightest danger. On that day a stream of boiling lava burst through the top of the crater and plunged into the valley of the River Blanche, overwhelming the Guerin sugar works and killing 23 workpeople and the son of the proprietor.

A commission was appointed by the governor to investigate the outbreak and it returned a reassuring report on Wednesday evening. But about 8 o'clock on Thursday morning a shower of fire rashed down on St. Pierre and coast from Le Carbet, which had a population of 6,000, to Le Precheur, which had a population of 4,000, burning up everything in its path. Throughout Thursday the heat in the vicinity of St. Pierre was so intense and the stream of flowing lava was so unrelenting that it was impossible to approach the town during the early part of the day. As evening approached the French cruiser Suchet, after a heroic battle with the heat, suffocation and sulphur fumes, succeeded in making a dash toward the shore, noaring the land close enough to enable her to take off 30 survivors of the disaster, all of whom were horribly burned and mutilated. St. Pierre at that time was an absolute smoking waste, concealing 30,000 corpses, whose rapid decomposition necessitated, in some cases, instantly completing their cremation, which was only partially accomplished by the lava.

The inhabitants of Fort DeFrance were panic-stricken the morning of the disaster, when the sky suddenly blackened until it was as dark as midnight. The sea shrank back 30 yards, and hot rain began to fall, while gravel the

size of walnuts poured down on the town. This lasted about 15 minutes. The 40 survivors were brought here Saturday from the vicinity of St. Pierre by the French cable repair ship Puyouy Quertier, which came from the town of Le Precheur, where, surrounded on all sides by flowing lava, they were nearly roasted to death and expected momentarily to be engulfed.

The work of relief is progressing here on the most extensive scale possible, but in anticipation of disturbances, the treasury building and the warehouses are guarded by troops. The latest reports received here show that lava continues to pour down the slopes of the mountain, slowly engulfing the whole north side of the island, while fresh crevasses are continually opening.

AT ST. VINCENT

Island of British West Indies Suffers Great Loss

Kingston, Island of St. Vincent, B. W. I., May 12.—After numerous earthquakes during the preceding fortnight accompanied by subterranean noises in the direction of the Soufriere volcano on the northwest part of the island, a loud explosion from the crater occurred Monday last, and the water in the crater lake ascended in a stupendous cloud of steam and exploded heavily. The noises grew loud and continued until Wednesday morning, when the old crater, three miles in circumference, and the new crater, formed by the last eruption, belched smoke and stones, forcing the residents of Wallibou and Richmond valley, beneath the volcano, to flee to Chateau Belair for refuge.

The thunderous noises which were continually increasing were heard in neighboring islands 200 miles away. At midday the crater ejected columns of steamy vapor rising majestically eight miles high and expanding into wonderful shapes, resembling enormous cauliflower, gigantic wheels and beautiful flower forms, all streaked up and down and crosswise with vivid flashes of lightning, aweing the beholder and impressing the mind with fear. The mountain labored to rid itself of a mass of molten lava which later flowed over in six streams down the side of the volcano, and the greater noises following united in one continuous roar all evening through the night to Thursday morning, accompanied with black rain, falling dust and favailla scoria, attended with midnight darkness all Wednesday, creating feelings of fear and anxious suspense.

On the morning of Friday there was a fresh eruption and ejections of fiery matter, more dust covering the island, in some places two feet deep. The crater is still active as this dispatch is sent, and great loss of life is believed to have occurred.

The lava has destroyed several districts with their livestock. People are fleeing to this town, streams are dried up, and in many places a food and water famine is threatened. The government is feeding numerous sufferers from the outbreak. Great physical changes have taken place in the neighborhood of Soufriere. Several districts have not yet been heard from, and the scene of the eruption is unapproachable. Every hour brings sadder news. The nurses and doctors are overworked.

Widespread Destruction.

Paris, May 12.—It is believed from the official information received here from the Island of Martinique that the disaster surpasses all that imagination can conceive. The whole northeastern portion of the island is laid waste. Three large communities, exclusive of St. Pierre, have been destroyed. All the hills surrounding Le Carbet and Le Precheur (near St. Pierre) are covered with refugees to the number of about 5,000, who are being taken away gradually. In the meanwhile provisions are being conveyed to them. The corpses which are heaped in the ruins of St. Pierre are not only completely naked but are frightfully mutilated.

French Gratitude.

Paris, May 12.—The Gaulois referring to the vote of \$100,000 by the United States congress for the aid of the Martinique sufferers and the sending of an American cruiser to the island, says: "Of all friendly manifestations, the most brilliant and the most touching are certainly those of the United States. The great people beyond the ocean have again proved that feelings of humanity and generosity are among the noble qualities upon which they pride themselves. This fine example of human solidarity touches us profoundly, and we are happy to note it in this unforgettable circumstance."

TERSE TELEGRAMS

Fire destroyed the principal portion of the town of Ames, Kas.

Lieut. Gov. Stone of Wisconsin died at Watertown Sunday evening.

The fifteenth May festival begins at Cincinnati Wednesday. Five concerts will be given.

Charlemagne Tower, United States ambassador to Russia has arrived home on an extended visit.

Tom Linton the English cyclist, at Paris broke the world's record for distance covered in one hour on a bike.

The senate has passed a bill appropriating \$100,000 for the relief of the sufferers from the Martinique volcano disaster.

There have been 913 cases and 120 deaths from cholera in Manila, while the provinces report 5,710 cases and 1,450 deaths from the disease.

The marked improvement in Queen Wilhelmina's condition continues and the constant attendance of her physicians is no longer necessary.

Secretary of the Navy Moody has called the commander of the cruiser Cincinnati, now at San Domingo City to proceed to Martinique and render such aid as possible.

The bill of complaint against the so-called beef trust which has been prepared under the direction of Attorney-General Knox has been filed in the Circuit Court of the United States at Chicago.

MANY MINERS OUT

Anthracite Regions Affected By The Big Strike Order.

AWAITING CONFERENCE

One Hundred Thousand Men Become Idlers Today In Asserting Their Independence.

Much Hangs On The Result of The Hazelton Conference Set For This Week.

Scranton, Pa., May 12.—No coal is being mined in the Scranton end of the anthracite region today. Even though the strike order was not certain of being religiously obeyed, there would be no mining, as the companies agreed at a meeting of the general managers and superintendents Saturday that no attempt would be made to operate. Some of the companies, however, are keeping a few at least of their washeries running to insure a supply of culm for locomotives, hoisting engines and the like. The companies will not admit that the agreement to refrain from an attempt at operating is eventually to resolve itself into a lockout should events at Hazelton make such a thing possible.

The strike has already made itself seriously felt in other lines of work. The railroads have laid off four-fifths of their coal-train crews, in all about 800 men, and the Erie shops at Dunsmore, where mine cars and machinery are repaired, will shut down indefinitely, beginning tomorrow, throwing 300 men out of employment.

Meetings of all the locals are being held today to elect and instruct the delegates to the Hazelton convention. The sentiment among the more thoughtful and intelligent miners is opposed to a continuance of the strike. These men will use as one of their chief arguments the significant fact that the companies' mine officials are not soliciting their men to vote against the strike, while at the same relative time in the last strike these same officers were working day and night to discourage the men from striking.

In the cathedral Sunday morning Bishop Hoban asked the congregation to pray that the miners should be given light to do what is for the best, and that something will intervene to insure a cessation of the conflict. The story that the Morganized fleets will be used to import coal and prevent a famine does not cause President Mitchell any evident concern. He dismisses it with the remark that the United States is now exporting coal to all parts of the world.

The Blue Ridge breaker of the Ontario & Western company in an isolated settlement above Peckville, was destroyed by fire. The fire was caused by a forest fire.

ATROCIOUS MURDER

Bridgeport Man Dances In Frenzy On His Victim's Body.

Bridgeport, Conn., May 12.—Lawrence Bressano, a freeman in the Atlantic hotel, crept into the meat room Sunday morning and split the skull of Michael Tornish, the chef, with a meat cleaver. He then took a large butcher knife and slashed the body, cutting off the nose and ears, gouging out the eyes and cutting strip after strip of flesh off the face of the victim. When the upper part of the body was unrecognizable, Bressano jumped on it and danced from the head to the feet until the arrival of the police, who were attracted by the frenzied yells of the murderer. Bressano then turned his attention to his would-be capturers and was not subdued until one policeman broke a club over his head and another knocked him senseless to the ground with the brass buckle of a belt.

Bressano at police headquarters acknowledged the murder and said he felt better for having committed it. It is believed that trouble over a woman led him to kill his fellow workman.

BASE BALL

Yesterday's Games and Their Outcome Seen at a Glance.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
At Chicago, 9; Brooklyn, 3.
At Cincinnati, 0; Pittsburgh, 10.
At St. Louis, 4; New York, 5.
AMERICAN LEAGUE.
At Detroit, 10; Chicago, 9.
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
At Milwaukee, 3; Toledo, 2.
At Minneapolis, 8; Louisville, 7.
At St. Paul, 1; Indianapolis, 0.
At Kansas City, 9; Columbus, 4.

Texas Race Riot.
Beaumont, Tex., May 12.—In rows between whites and negroes on an excursion train late Sunday afternoon one negro was killed, several whites and blacks were wounded and a number of others who jumped from the train are believed to have been injured.

Two Aeronauts Killed.
Paris, May 12.—The airship belonging to Senor Augusto Severo, the Brazilian aeronaut, made an ascension this morning. The airship exploded and two aeronauts who were on board were killed.

VETERANS INTERESTED

G. A. R. Encampment This Week Has Special Significance.

Indianapolis, May 12.—The indications are that the state G. A. R. encampment will be more largely attended than any encampment of recent years, although it is pathetically evident that the ranks are rapidly diminishing. But every soldier who has strength enough to get here is making an effort to be on hand when the magnificent monument erected in their honor is unveiled Thursday. The opening session of the encampment will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Milton Garrigus of Kokomo, state department commander, will preside. The program for the encampment is of the usual order. The veterans will fight again the fights that are historic and dear to their memories. Benjamin Starr of Richmond, one of the best-known Hoosiers, will be elected department commander without opposition. The encampment will end Wednesday night with a great campfire, at which prominent men will participate. The veterans are looking forward with much interest to the coming of Eli Torrance of Minnesota, their national commander, who is to speak during vespers at the monument dedication. They have hopes that he will arrive here in time for the campfire. General John S. Foster, who will be the orator of the day at the dedication, left Washington this afternoon for Indianapolis. He will arrive here tomorrow afternoon unless he stops en route. General Lew Wallace, who will preside over the dedicatory exercises, is not expected until tomorrow afternoon, as he has been at Cincinnati for some time taking treatment.

The W. R. C. will hold its annual encampment at Masonic hall and will be in session two days, beginning tomorrow. They have a program of unusual interest. The Spanish-American war veterans will also have a meeting during the week and not the least interesting gathering will be that of the members of the Loyal Legion, who will have a state meeting in the statehouse Wednesday. Their program will close with an elaborate banquet at the Columbia club. Lieutenant Governor Newton W. Gilbert will preside at the campfire of the Spanish-American war veterans Wednesday night. Mayor Bookwater will deliver an address of welcome. During the week there will be a large number of regimental reunions.

Politically the week will not be without its significance. The Republican state committee will have a meeting here Wednesday to discuss arrangements for the campaign, and Chairman O'Brien is coming from Lawrenceburg to keep open house at the Democratic state committee rooms. Chairman Goodrich of the Republican state committee arrived here today. It is expected that there will be hundreds of politicians here and there will be the usual amount of wire-pulling and fixing, especially among the Democrats, who have not yet held their state convention.

At the statehouse there was great activity today as the old army flags, treasures that are guarded by state laws, are being made ready for the parade of the flags Thursday morning. This will doubtless be the most inspiring sight of the week, as the tattered mementoes of the great battles of the 60's are calculated to strike the patriotic chords in every breast. Precautions are being taken to keep souvenir hunters from picking the flags to pieces.

The finishing touches are now being given to the great platform on the north side of the monument, from which the dedicatory exercises will take place. It will accommodate several hundred people, to whom special invitations have been issued. There has been an enormous demand for places on the platform.

Inquiries at the hotels today showed that there has been a large reservation of rooms so that the late comers are liable to have trouble finding accommodations.

Strike Extending.

Fort Wayne, May 12.—What seemed at first early last week a minor wage difference at the Fort Wayne knitting mills, which employs 800 people, has taken on a more serious turn and the mills are still shut down. The manager, Theodore F. Thieme, who founded the mills 12 years ago under the McKinley tariff law, refuses to restore the old scale to the five knitters who received notice of a reduction, and now all the employees, most of whom are young women, have gone on a sympathetic strike. Both sides are still firm and the end is not in sight. Associated in the ownership with Mr. Thieme are many of the leading capitalists of this city.

Suspicion of Murder.
Newcastle, Ind., May 12.—The body of Dennis Mahoe, a colored girl, was found at the north edge of Idlewild park. The body was contorted and in a horrible condition. It was thought that she committed suicide, but the authorities now suspect that the girl was murdered. At the spot where she was found there were indications on the ground that there had been a struggle. The coroner has begun an investigation.

A Savage Boar.
Zanesville, O., May 12.—Jacob Roth, a wealthy farmer of Meigs township, was attacked and killed by a savage boar last night, the infuriated animal disemboweling him with its tusks.

A RIVER TRAGEDY

Evansville Man Shoots Into a Crowd of River Excursionists.

DEPUTY SHERIFF SLAIN

Walter Spradley Resisting Arrest For Fighting Shoots and Kills Jesse Mitchell.

Panic Created on Boat and Women Attempt to Leap Into the River.

Evansville, Ind., May 12.—Walter Spradley shot into a barge filled with excursionists at Spottsville, Ky., Sunday and wounded Deputy Sheriff Jesse Mitchell. He died last night. The crew with difficulty kept women from leaping into the river. Spradley was arrested.

Spradley had been fighting and Mitchell started to arrest him, when the fatal shot was fired. There were several hundred passengers on the boat and a panic was caused. It was with difficulty the women were prevented from leaping overboard. The boat came to this port and Spradley was arrested. He lives here and has a family. He has never been in trouble before.

A PLEASANT SURPRISE

Supposed Worthless Gift Is Worth Half a Million.

Kokomo, Ind., May 12.—Three years ago when the Rev. R. G. Roscamp, pastor of the First Presbyterian church here, was in Denver, Col., on a lecture tour, a brother member of the Order of Elks as a joke presented him with a block of mining stock, considered at that time worthless. A short time ago the Rev. Mr. Roscamp was surprised to receive an offer of \$100,000 for his shares. He went to Denver to investigate and refused the offer, believing that his supposed worthless holdings would not him \$500,000.

Gas Pipe Leaked.
Montpelier, Ind., May 12.—A double explosion of natural gas wrecked a business building, causing \$5,000 damages. Two stores were wrecked, the hardware store of L. J. Sidy and that of J. E. Wuerstein, jeweler. There was first an explosion in one of the storerooms, and in the second explosion the floors of the cellar were torn up and plate glass windows were broken. The First National bank, a drug store and another business room were also somewhat damaged. Several people were slightly injured. The explosion was caused by a leak of a gas pipe in an alley, the gas following the pipe under the buildings.

Son Prefers Charges.
Marion, Ind., May 12.—Nathan McCoy, 50 years old, a farmer living near Fairmount, is in jail here in default of bond of \$1,000, under which he was placed upon a sensational affidavit filed by his son, Frank McCoy, on charges growing out of his alleged unnatural relations with four daughters, whose ages range from 11 to 19 years.

Was Too Cautious.
Elkhart, Ind., May 12.—John Lutz and Peter Watson, in uniforms, were held here, supposed to be deserters from Fort Sheridan. Colonel McCaskey refused to accept a telegram announcing their capture, but two hours after the Elkhart police released them he wired to hold them for a guard. They had left town.

Suicide of a Farmer.
Madison, Ind., May 12.—Noble Cosby, aged 59, a prominent farmer of Graham township, borrowed a revolver from a neighbor ostensibly to kill a dog. While his family was away he went into his orchard and shot himself through the right temple.

Grain Elevators Burn.
Lafayette, Ind., May 12.—Fire destroyed the grain elevators of the Samuel Borne company and J. B. Thompson, located here, entailing a loss of near \$25,000, fairly well covered by insurance.

Fell From Window.
New Albany, Ind., May 12.—Columbus Bolln, an old soldier, was killed by a fall from the third-story window of his room. It is supposed he fell asleep while sitting in the window.

Hanged to Bedpost.
Scottsburg, Ind., May 12.—Mrs. Mickelson, who lived two miles southeast of Vienna, committed suicide by hanging herself to a bedpost. She was 86 years old and was blind.

Lineman's Fatal Mishap.
Anderson, Ind., May 12.—J. H. Garvutt, a lineman for the Anderson Telephone company, while at work on a pole 35 feet in the air, fell and was fatally injured.

Boy Shot Himself.
Connerville, Ind., May 12.—Guernsey Benninger, 11 years old, shot and killed himself with a Florent rifle. He lived at Everton, south of here.

Struck By Trolley Car.
Fort Wayne, May 12.—Miss Mary A. Schlutt was struck by an interurban car and probably fatally injured.

CONGRESSIONAL

Senators Are Taking Their Time To Philippine Bill.

Washington, May 12.—Senator Rawlins, senior Democratic member of the senate committee on the Philippines, expresses the opinion that a vote may be reached on the Philippine government bill toward the end of the present week. Other members of the committee think the date of the vote may be postponed until some time next week, but none of them place the vote later than the 24th inst. They say that whenever the debate is exhausted they will agree to vote, but that they object to naming a day for a vote until they are quite certain that there is nothing more to say pertinent to the subject.

The consideration of the bill this week will be interspersed with the consideration of appropriation bills, today being set apart for the fortification bill and Tuesday for the agricultural appropriation bill. Neither of these measures will consume a great deal of time, and on each day it is expected there will be time left for the consideration of the Philippine bill.

Today is District of Columbia day in the house. Special orders have been made for the consideration of several bills to follow the disposition of District business. They include the bill to authorize the issue of passports to residents of our insular possessions; the Adams bill for the reorganization of the consular service and a day for the consideration of war claims. The conference report on the omnibus bill will also be considered this week. Such time as remains will be devoted to the naval appropriation bill.

VIGOROUS PROTEST

Orthodox Jews Deny Recent Sabbath Discussion.

New York, May 12.—The discussion concerning the observance of the Sabbath which arose during the annual session of the central conference of American rabbis in New Orleans recently, has stirred up more or less argument among the orthodox Jews in this city. Vigorous protest has been made against the liberal school of rabbis, who raised the question in the conference to the extent of suggesting that the Sabbath day should be changed. The Talmud Torah committee of the Ohab Zedek congregation, this city, met and after denouncing the conduct of the rabbis at New Orleans, sent, through Louis Friedman, chairman of the committee, a telegram to the conference at New Orleans as follows:

"Rappoport at Braunschweig conference said: 'For tearing down, not architects are called, but unskilled laborers.' Make a Pesiah Gessah (radical step), accept Christianity and settle it all."

A circular is being distributed among the members of synagogues calling on the Jews to remain steadfast to their traditions and to aid in founding schools to keep the faith alive.

Chaffee at Malabang.
Manila, May 12.—General Chaffee arrived Sunday at Malabang, Island of Mindanao, where he was met by General Davis, the commander of the American forces in the islands. Generals Chaffee and Davis, with an escort, at once started to ride to Lake Lanao, in the interior, which they will reach today. The American forces in the province of Batangas, southern Luzon, have been concentrated at several towns in the province. This action is taken because armed insurgent resistance in the province has ceased.

Another Revolution.
Cape Haytien, Hayti, May 12.—The inhabitants of the northern department of Hayti have planned to take up arms in favor of the candidacy of Antenor Finin as the successor of Gen. Sam, who recently resigned the presidency. Former President Sam left Hayti today on the steamer Clinde Red-Jones for Havre.

CRASH!!

Goes the crockery and the waitress will probably be called clumsy and careless. Her plea of sudden dizziness is not allowed.

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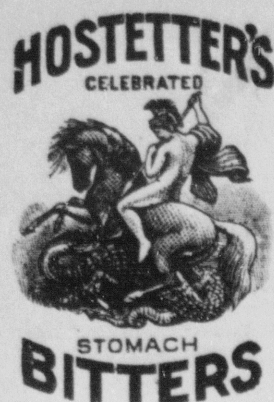
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W. E. ROBINSON.

This week Indiana does special honor to her soldiery, both living and dead, by the dedication of the most beautiful soldier's monument in the world.

Don't forget the proclamation of Mayor Mills which requested the display of the Stars and Stripes this week, especially Thursday, the day of the dedication of the soldiers monument at Indianapolis.

THE democratic editorial association will not meet at French Lick, May 23 and 24 as at first announced but will meet at the Grand Hotel at Indianapolis. Tom Taggart was not ready for them at French Lick.

ANNOUNCEMENT is made by Lincoln Dixon that the Fourth district democrats will nominate a candidate for congress at Nashville, Brown county, June 5. As all who go will have to drive over from Columbus, a distance of about 18 miles, they will not count on a big crowd.

No anxiety need be felt on behalf of the Hon. R. J. Tracwell, controller of the treasury, because he has incurred the displeasure of a navy clique by cutting down a claim of Rear Admiral Crownsfield. No navy or other clique can hurt the controller of the treasury. He is the highest auditing officer in the government, and in a question of allowances or accounts his decision is final. The only way to overrule him is to remove him from office, and no President would dare to do that without good cause. The controller is expected to be a good lawyer, a man of the highest integrity, and absolutely impartial and fearless in his decisions, and the present incumbent, an Indiana man, fills these requirements. —Journal.

Plaintiff Gets Judgement.

Special to REPUBLICAN.
Indianapolis, May 12 (3:46 p. m.)—In the water works suit tried in Federal court the jury found for plaintiff for full amount with interest.

Band Concert.

The Twentieth Century Band will give their first open air concert of the season on south Chestnut street this evening. Following is the program though subject to change:
Viva.....March
Colored Four Hundred.....Cake Walk.
Metropolis.....Overture.
Caramba.....March.
Boquet.....Overture.
Angella.....Waltz.
Colored Dude.....March.
Debut.....March.

Columbus Disappointed.

The Columbus boys went home Saturday evening very much disappointed. They came down with the intention of winning the ball game but the Seymour boys were too much for them. They regretted to report that they were unable to score a run and that the Seymour boys sent three of their men across the home plate.

Judgment for Plaintiff.

The water works suit brought by the Farmers Loan and Trust Company to collect hydrant rental was begun in the Federal court at Indianapolis Saturday about 10 o'clock. The plaintiff examined their witnesses, getting through in a short time. The examination of the city's witnesses was begun but not completed Saturday. The attorneys and witnesses came home Saturday night, returning again this morning.

At 3:45 this afternoon the REPUBLICAN received a message that the case had been concluded and a judgment of \$2747.18 rendered for the plaintiff, which was the amount delinquent when the suit was brought.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

William Mohr, jr., and wife to Henry Lucas lots 37 and 38, Kurtz, \$25.
Malinda B. Moore and husband to Halleck C. Dannettell lot 1, Seymour, Leindinger's add, \$300.
Alexander Adams, by sheriff, to Celestine Adams lot 12, Crothersville, \$335.
Emeline Neiwedde to Emilie Brethauer pt sec 30-5-6, Washington township, \$25.
James E. Pruitt to John W. Brown land in Saltcreek township, \$300.
Bertha L. Mosley to George M. Bedel lot 18, Uniontown, \$250.
Jesse W. Lucas and wife to Andrew Cockerham 40 acres, Owen township, \$200.
Elizabeth Gullett to John S. Gullett et al 30 acres, Driftwood township, \$151.
Charles D. Pettigrew to Henry M. Lutes part of lot 11, Upper Houston, \$25.
Mary E. Harlow to C. C. Isaacs lot 24, block 2, Seymour, Pflug add, \$500.
Dorothy Huber hrs to C. C. Isaacs lot 5, block 1, Seymour, \$800.
Charles A. R-bertson by guard, to James H. Shortridge lots 175, 148 and 149, Brownstown, \$450.
Electa A. Carpenter and husband to Sarah Cox pt lots 54 and 55, Crothersville, \$10.
Andrew Schmidt to Anna Schmidt land in Jackson township, \$350.
Virgil Cummings and wife to William Armbruster lots 197, 198, 202, 203, 204 and 205, Kurtz, \$350.
Silas Prather to William Armbruster 2 acres, Owen township, \$600.
James Guffy et al to John Lauster 8 acres, Hamilton township, \$120.
New Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes and cucumbers at Hancock's.
G. F. Starr, of Heltonville, was in town today.
Jas. O. Scott was in town today from Spraytown.
Mrs. S. A. Rankin and daughter, Mrs. S. P. Chapman, left today for Illinois to locate.
John F. Bolte, of White Creek, brought in ninety-five bushels of wheat today and sold it to J. H. Hodapp.
Eighteen persons from west of Seymour headed by Henry Reber attended Miss Minnie Pollent's birthday anniversary near Sauerschurch Sunday. Refreshments were served to forty-two guests and all had an enjoyable time.
W. S. McRea, who was arraigned before Justice Congdon, Saturday evening for non-payment of a board bill at the Hotel Jonas, received a check this morning and later in the day squared the account.

Sunday School Reports.

ATTENDANCE	COLLECTION
Baptist.....157	\$2.46
M. E.....226	2.80
Presbyterian.....124	1.82

Held at San Remo.

Washington, May 12.—United States Ambassador VonMeyer at Rome cabled to the state department Sunday to the effect that Consul Pearson has informed him of the arrest of Clara Taylor, the woman charged with the abduction of her niece, Margaret Taylor, and of her lodgment in jail at San Remo.

Old Law Abolished.

Manila, May 12.—The United States Philippine commission has passed a law abolishing imprisonment for debt after the debtor has sworn to bankruptcy. Until this law goes into effect the expenses of those persons who now are in jail for debt must be borne by their prosecutors, and must be paid weekly.

Will Arbitrate It.

Detroit, Mich., May 12.—The street railway employees of this city have resolved to submit the dispute with the Detroit United Railway over their demand for a raise in wages from 21 cents per hour to 25 cents per hour, to arbitration.

Deadly Landslide.

Rome, May 12.—Thirteen persons were killed in a landslide at Marola, province of Emilia, Sunday.

The Three Meal Habit.

Our three meal habit is a fearful tax on our working capacity. It troubles the temptation to overeating. Our champions stagger under the weight of a physiological handicap. One-half of the functional energy of the system is diverted by the exigencies of digestion. No other hygienic mistake has done so much to make us a generation of dyspeptics as the custom of after dinner work. Its victims, moreover, incur the risk of contracting that form of moral dyspepsia called pessimism. It tends to rob the working day of its reward. —Success.

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Indiana Credited With Having the Most Effective Law Bearing Upon Child Labor.

HOW FACTORY LAW OPERATES

Chief Inspector McAbee Talks Entertainingly of the Practical Results of Recent Legislation for the Benefit of Indiana Wage-Earners.

"In the matter of legislation affecting child labor Indiana stands first among the states of the Union." This is the significant statement of Mrs. Florence Kelly of Chicago, secretary of the Consumers' League, and formerly factory inspector of the state of Illinois. And yet, no longer ago than 1896, Mrs. Kelly declared at a national convention of the state factory inspectors held in Detroit, that Indiana was among the most backward of all the states in this very particular.

With the approval of Governor Mount on March 2, 1899, of an act "providing means for protecting the liberty, safety and health of laborers" and "for its enforcement by creating a department of inspection," the state of Indiana took its place among those commonwealths of the Union wherein modern conceptions concerning the right of the wage-earner to safe and sanitary surroundings have been embodied in statutes. Judged from this standpoint, the most advanced states of the Union are Massachusetts, the pioneer in labor legislation, New York, Michigan, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Minnesota, Connecticut and Illinois. The labor laws of these states are based upon 20th century ideas of human rights and duties. In striking contrast stand out the conditions in some other states of the Union—most notably Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Alabama, Georgia, Florida and Mississippi.

In the Carolinas, for instance, laws for the protection of the factory wage-earner are as conspicuously absent as they were in England a century ago, when the deplorable conditions prevailing in manufacturing centers served to awaken the conscience of a nation and inaugurate a peaceful industrial revolution. Children 9 years old are employed 12 hours a day in some Carolina cotton factories, and the let-alone policy has marked the course of these states in their attitude toward conditions surrounding their rapidly developing factory life.

The Indiana Factory Laws.

The Indiana factory inspection law, enacted three years ago, strengthened by the last legislature and enforced, it is safe to say, more generally than the similar law of any other state, embodies every demand and wish of workmen within the scope of factory legislation. Not only have its operations proved of immeasurable benefit to the factory worker, but the results of its enforcement have proved most gratifying to manufacturers, some of whom, though reluctant at first to comply with the provisions of the law, have expressed their pleasure with the outcome. "It pays" is a motto to be seen everywhere in one of the model manufacturing establishments of Indianapolis—and so it does—not only in the promotion of good will and the increase of self-reliance and skill, the advancement of morals and intelligence among wage earners, but, withal, in dollars and cents to the employer who understands himself and those who labor with him.

Provisions of the Law.
The Indiana law provides, in brief, against the employment of boys under 16 and girls under 18 in factories, stores or shops for more than 60 hours a week or the employment of any child under 14 years of age. The provisions for the enforcement of this regulation are more stringent than those of any other state. No illiterate child under 16 years of age shall be employed. No woman shall be employed in a factory between the hours of 10 p. m. and 6 a. m. Elevators, stairways and dangerous machinery shall be properly safe-guarded. Proper washrooms and water-closets shall be provided, with dressing-rooms for women. Female employees shall be allowed to take seats when their duties do not necessitate standing. Not less than 60 minutes shall be allowed at the noon hour; buildings must be safe and sanitary. Sweat-shops are specifically provided against. A chief inspector and five deputies are provided for the enforcement of the law, and are vested with an authority which Governor Mount declared to be greater than any he possessed as chief executive of the state. Supplementary acts require the weekly payment of wages, and the inspection and condemnation of all unsafe buildings of a public or semi-public character, placing upon the defendant in actions for damages for injuries the burden of proving the contributory negligence on the part of an employee, and for the sanitation of all food-producing establishments, were passed in 1899 and 1901.

Organization of the Department.
The organization of the department was effected under the original law of 1899, by the appointment of D. H. McAbee of Muncie, as chief inspector. He has been most efficient in the performance of his duties. The last legislature, recognizing the importance of a more thorough enforcement of the law, authorized the appointment of three additional deputies or five in all.

These are David F. Sprees of Vincennes, chief deputy; Harvey A. Richards of Muncie; Joseph H. Clark of Indianapolis; Thomas S. Williamson of Anderson, and James H. Roberts of South Bend. The demand for an increase in the number of deputies was emphasized by the recent rapid development of the industrial interests of the state. As Chief Inspector Mc-

Abree says in his report just issued: "The wave of prosperity, which was first felt in the fall of 1897, has continued with unabated force until not only have the unemployed found employment at remunerative wages, but it has caused an actual dearth of mechanics and laborers in nearly all the trades. This is more noticeable in the window-glass houses and among that class of iron workers where the old process of iron, known as 'puddling' is still in vogue. Puddlers are at a premium, consequently they are receiving the highest compensation ever received for this kind of work. Furniture manufacturers are employing all who ask for work. Manufacturers of workmen's garments are crowded with orders, and sufficient help cannot be had to operate the machines now in position. The same conditions exist in all parts of the state. Common laborers do not have to tramp in search of employment."

Chief Inspector McAbee Talks.
"The work of this department has been largely educational," said Chief Inspector McAbee to your correspondent the other day. "In almost every case it has been necessary only for us to call attention to deficiencies in factory surroundings in order to ensure their prompt improvement. In very few cases has it been necessary to employ drastic measures, but when occasion demanded, we have not hesitated to carry the law into the court for vindication, and we have not failed in a single instance to have it upheld. On the other hand many manufacturers have borne testimony to the beneficial effects of the law in the improvement of the personnel, the spirit and the efficiency of their employees. So great has been industrial growth in our state during the past three years that it is exceedingly fortunate we have had this law to prevent the conditions which usually arise during such a period—the crowding of rooms, the failure to provide safety devices under the pressure of rapid changes, and the hasty erection of buildings."

Some Instances of Improvement.
"Practical illustrations of the benefits of this law are plentiful. For instance, when I was first appointed, I was informed of a certain factory in Indianapolis where ten men were employed, one of whom died every year owing to unsanitary conditions. The room where these men were at work was at all times full of flying dust. Conditions in that establishment have been revolutionized, the room is practically free from dust, and the life of a workman there is no longer limited to ten years."

"I cannot now recall a place in the state that had, when this law went into effect, what is called a blower system from emery wheels for taking the dust out of the rooms. The effect of flying particles of steel and other foreign substances, I need not say was most injurious to the health of workmen. Now the use of these appliances is practically universal. I remember one Indiana establishment employing a large number of men, where the rooms were so full of flying particles that it was impossible to see across them, forty or fifty wheels being in active operation. I said to the proprietor: 'This will never do; your men can't live in such a place.' It will cost me a thousand dollars to remedy the trouble," he replied, and he objected vigorously. I issued an order requiring the change, and it was made. Not long ago I went into that establishment and noted a complete change of conditions. I met the proprietor, who said to me: 'Well, you made us do it, and it cost us a thousand dollars, but we are mighty glad we got it in.' This is only one of a great many similar instances."

Operations of the Law.
During the last year 2,413 inspections were made, an increase in number of about 40 per cent over the previous year. In the establishments inspected 151,719 persons were employed. Nearly 1,500 hundred orders requiring changes in arrangements were promulgated. Fire escapes were ordered on 72 buildings. Accidents to the number of 672 were reported to the office. Mr. McAbee is of the opinion that the requirement that accidents be reported to the chief inspector or having a very marked effect in inducing manufacturers to introduce safety appliances, and that this in connection with the features of the law, will ultimately result in reducing the number of accidents from machinery at least one-third.

Indiana is not, as are some of her neighboring commonwealths, a burdened state. Every executive department, each created to perform a useful function, is operated upon a business basis, at no greater expense than the work in hand demands. During the year ending Oct. 31, 1901, the total cost of the department of inspection including salaries, traveling expense and office expenses aggregated only \$7,921.08. The cost to the state per employee in each of the establishments inspected was a little over five cents. The result of an expenditure so modest may not be measured in dollars and cents, for who can estimate the value to a state of the health, the happiness and the contentment of her toiling citizenship in whose behalf the labor laws of Indiana were enacted and are enforced.

Deadly Kentucky Affray.

Grayson, Ky., May 12.—Robert Hicks was killed, Tom Tackett fatally wounded, W. M. Smith shot in the forehead, and Henry Tackett cut three times with a knife so that he will die, and others were hurt in a row at Olive Hill Saturday night. The guilty parties are under arrest and more trouble is expected.

It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cents. Sold by W. F. Peter, Druggist.

OLD TIMES IN TENNESSEE.

When Pelts Were as Plentiful as Pennies in the State.

Probably few people know that the original name of the state of Tennessee was Franklin or that in 1788 the salaries of the officers of this commonwealth were paid in pelts, but the following is a correct copy of the law: "Be it enacted by the general assembly of the state of Franklin, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, that from and after the 1st day of January, 1788, the salaries of this commonwealth be as follows—to wit: "His excellency the governor, per annum, 100 deerskins. "His honor the chief justice, 500 deerskins. "The secretary to his excellency the governor, 500 raccoon skins. "County clerk, 300 beaver skins. "Clerk of the house of commons, 200 raccoon skins. "Justice's fee for serving a warrant, one minkskin."

At that time the state of Franklin extended to the east bank of the Mississippi river, and on the west bank was that great unknown forest region of Louisiana. It was then a "terra incognita," save a few canoe landings and Indian trading posts on the river banks. It was known as the district of Louisiana and in 1805 was made the territory of Louisiana.

The state of Franklin, which became Tennessee in 1796, was almost as little known. The now great city of Memphis was a mere trading post and was not laid out as a village until 1820.

Pelts were as plentiful in those days as pennies and much better distributed for purposes of currency and barter. The pioneers were perhaps as happy and as well contented as is the average citizen now.—Arkansas Gazette.

COOKING HINTS.

Don't add lard, molasses or sugar to bread if you wish to keep well and be wholesome.

Potatoes baked thoroughly, but not allowed to turn dark, are the best to be used for creamed potatoes.

If salad dressing curdles when being mixed, add a little cold water, stir quickly, and it will become quite smooth.

If tea be ground like coffee or crushed immediately before boiling water is poured upon it, it will yield nearly double the amount of its exhilarating qualities.

If a sliced onion and carrot are cooked with veal, it will be found that the flavor of the rather tasteless meat is much improved. Veal cutlets rely for their flavor on the tomato sauce that is usually served with them.

A delightful flavor is sometimes given to steak by placing it overnight in a bath of oil and vinegar. In the morning it is wiped before the broiling, but enough of the mixture has been absorbed to give it a decided flavor.

If in making split pea soup a teaspoonful of whipped cream is put in the tureen just as the soup is poured over, the improvement in flavor of the soup will be noticeable. This puree has sometimes a flat, even watery taste that is not at all agreeable, which the whipped cream entirely removes.

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St. Paul or Minneapolis and Return \$20.00.

The B. & O. S.-W. R. R. will sell tickets to St. Paul and Minneapolis, Minn., and return on May 17th, 18th, 19th and morning trains May 20th account of the National Baptist anniversary. Tickets good to return May 23rd and may be extended until June 30th by depositing ticket with joint agent at St. Paul or Minneapolis. For full particulars call on or address C. C. FREY, Agent.

Decoration Day, May 30th, 1902.

The B. & O. S.-W. R. R. will sell excursion tickets for distance of not more than 150 miles within the territory of the central passenger association at one and one-third fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale May 29th and 30th good returning May 31st, 1902. C. C. FREY, Agent.

May Music Festival.

The B. & O. S.-W. R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Cincinnati and return May 14th, 15th, 16th and 17th, 1902, at one and one-third fare for the round trip. Tickets good returning May 19th. C. C. FREY, Agent.

Harrisburg, Pa. and Return \$15.75.

The B. & O. S.-W. R. R. will sell tickets to Harrisburg, Pa., and return May 15th to 20th inclusive account of the German Baptist Brethren Conference. Tickets good to return June 2nd, 1902, and may be extended until June 30th by depositing with ticket agent at Harrisburg. For full particulars call on or address C. C. FREY, Agent.

Very Low Rates to the Northwest.

March 1 to April 30, 1902, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, will sell tickets to Montana, Idaho and North Pacific coast points at the following greatly reduced rates: From Chicago to Butte, Helena and Anaconda, \$30.00; Spokane, 35.50; Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Victoria and Vancouver, 33.00. Choice of routes via Omaha or St. Paul to points in Montana, Oregon and Washington.

For further information apply to any coupon ticket agent in the United States or Canada, or address C. C. Mordough, Traveling Passenger Agent, 12 Carew Building, Cincinnati, Ohio.

To St. Louis, Mo., via Southern Indiana Ry.

LEAVE ARRIVE
Seymour 7:00 a. m., St. Louis 6:40 p. m.
Seymour 11:30 a. m., St. Louis 9:40 p. m.
Seymour 5:25 p. m., St. Louis 2:05 a. m.
Direct connections made at St. Louis or all points west and southwest.

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Shirt Waist Headquarters is ready for the SHIRT WAIST BUYER With a stock never before equalled in the attractiveness of both the waists themselves and the prices.

White Shirt Waists, made of good quality of Lawn, with embroidery insertion down the front, soft cuffs. 59c

White Shirt Waists of fine Lawn, with cluster of tucks and lace insertion, soft collar and cuffs. 1.00

Fine White Shirt Waists with five stripes of embroidery insertion and cluster of tucks down the front, soft cuffs and collar. Open in the back. 1.25

Our Colored Waists are very pretty. We have them in newest fabrics, including lace striped Gingham, Mercerized Gingham, Silk Gingham, Black Persian Lawns, Plain Grass trimmed in Black Velvet Ribbon and Lace Medallions. Prices from..... 50c to 4.50

Be sure and see our new line of Waists in Silk.

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To Washington, Ind., via S. I.

Leave Seymour: 7:00 a. m. 5:25 p. m.
Arrive Washington 11:25 a. m. 8:15 p. m.
Arrive Evansville 2:15 p. m.
Close connection at Elkhart for Oakland City, Washington and other points on E. & I. Railway.
J. M. CLARK, Agent.

Excursion to Columbus, Ind., via Pennsylvania Lines.

May 20th to 24th, inclusive, excursion tickets to Columbus, Ind., account Elks Carnival will be sold via Pennsylvania lines from Rushville, Madison, Scottsburg, Indianapolis and intermediate ticket stations.

Ringling Bros.' Shows.

On account of Ringling Bros.' shows at Detroit May 13th, the Southern Indiana Railway will sell tickets to Bedford and return at one fare for the round trip. Good long May 13th returning same day.
J. M. CLARK, Agent.

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To the South and West via the Southern Indiana Railway.
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m28 **J. O. WHITE.**

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

CHICAGO, ILLS., May 12, 1902—Partly cloudy with possibly showers west portion tonight or Tuesday. Warmer north portion.

Schlosser, Dentist, 74 W. 2nd St.

FOR RENT—Cottage. See C. L. Hancock.

FOR RENT—Six room residence, 530 N. Walnut. m10f

WANTED—Forty men and ten teams to work in the woods. Apply to H. E. McDonald. a19kf

The New Albany militia company passed through on their way to Indianapolis this forenoon.

Everybody buy refrigerators of Fred Voss and get a \$1 ice coupon book free. Prices from \$7.50 to \$12. m 6 tf.

See young maiden, that thou takest not a substitute for the genuine Rocky Mountain Tea made by the Madison Medicine Co., if thou likest thou face fair. Ask your druggist.

W. F. Peter Drug Co

Has Seen Much Service.
Rudolph Holman, of this city, who has probably seen more service since the beginning of the Spanish-American war than any other soldier from this locality, is expected home within a day or two. He first served in the 16th U. S. infantry, then re-enlisted and was sent to the Philippines where he was assigned to the 14th infantry and was with company E that went with the allied forces to China and it was this company that was first to scale the walls of Peking. He then returned to the Philippines and was transferred to the 26th U. S. infantry to serve out the remainder of his enlistment.

New Time Card.
A new time card will go into effect on the B. & O. S-W. about May 18th and the running time of day passenger trains will be reduced about thirty minutes between Cincinnati and St. Louis. The shortening of time is the result of construction work just completed after two years work on the road. It is thought other reductions will be made shortly.

Old Soldier's Experience.
M. M. Austin, a civil war veteran, of Winchester, Indiana, writes: "My wife was sick a long time in spite of good doctors' treatment, but was wholly cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills, which worked wonders for her health." They always do. Try them. Only 25c at W. F. Peter's Drug Store.

Notice.
All those who have subscribed or who will subscribe to the stock of the Table Factory will please meet at the city clerk's office tonight for the purpose of organization.

COMMITTEE.
John Q. Foster and J. A. Cox, of Vernon township, made a business trip to Brownstown today.

P. J. O'Connor, while working in his marble shop Saturday met with a very painful accident. A stone fell on his right foot mauling it quite badly, but no bones were broken. He will likely be lame for several days.

I live and let my brethren live
With all that's good with me.
Unto the poor some cash I give,
The balance I give Rocky Mountain tea. Ask your druggist.

The ladies of the Evangelical St. Paul's congregation will give a supper and ice cream festival Tuesday, May 13, from 5 p. m. on in their school room, corner Tipton and Walnut Sts. Friends are invited. It

When you awake in the morning feeling like the end of a misspent life your mouth full of fire and your soul full of regrets, take Rocky Mountain Tea. Great medicine. Ask your druggist.

Earl Cox, who has been night clerk at the Hotel Jonas for several months has resigned and will leave this evening for Cleveland, Ohio, where he will take instructions in drawing and other lines of art in which he has already shown much talent.

Oscar H. Montgomery, of Seymour, member of the republican state committee from the Fourth district, is at the Denison. Mr. Montgomery will mix politics and business during his visit in the city. He is connected with the suit of the Seymour Water company against the municipal corporation to collect almost a year's pay for water furnished the city. Mr. Montgomery expects to stay over to attend the meeting of the state committee on Wednesday while he is here.—Sentinel

PERSONAL.

E. B. Gibbs, of Rising Sun, was here Sunday.
Tilden Smith, of Vallonia, spent Sunday here.
Harman Steinkamp went to Madison Sunday.
Harmon Hoffmeyer, of Columbus, spent Sunday, here.
Miss Anna Kisselman went to Indianapolis Sunday.
T. S. Blish went to Indianapolis, Sunday evening.
Mrs. Kate Ralph went to Indianapolis this morning.
Rev. Marquette, of Waymansville, was in the city today.

Dr. J. H. Davis, of Azalia, spent Sunday in Seymour.
Miss Clara Smith visited friends at Scottsburg Sunday.
Rev. J. T. Charlton went to Louisville this morning.
John Lemon and wife went to Indianapolis this morning.

Frank Shields has returned to his college duties at Franklin.
John Horstman, of Brownstown, went to Indianapolis Sunday.

Miss Grace Love went to Bedford this morning to visit friends.
G. C. Borchering, of Indianapolis, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. John Lockman, of Owen township, was here Saturday afternoon.
Daniel Elmer, of Redding township, went to Indianapolis this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blair went to Indianapolis on the forenoon train.
Mrs. D. A. Baird went to Indianapolis today to visit relatives and friends.

Will H. Noelker went to Indianapolis this forenoon to spend a day or two.

Mrs. James A. McDonald is reported quite sick at her home near Uniontown.

Walter Maus, of Columbus, came down yesterday to spend the day with friends.

Mrs. Philip Wilhelm and daughter returned from Indianapolis, Saturday evening.

James England and niece, of Brownstown, went to Indianapolis this morning.

Harry Cribb and wife, of Brownstown, visited D. A. Baird and wife Sunday.

Miss Anna Hunterman went to Indianapolis Sunday to visit her sister, Miss Minnie.

Dr. M. F. Gerrish and Jno. A. Ross came home from Indianapolis, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Sarah Long, of Brownstown, left today for Pendleton to visit her son, Ross Long.

Mrs. August Cordes and daughter, Minnie returned from Indianapolis, Saturday evening.

W. J. Durham and wife went to Indianapolis this morning to remain until next Saturday.

Frank Fagel and Harry Kieth, of Shelbyville, spent Sunday here the guests of Fred Fagel.

Thomas Kimberly returned to Wolfe Lake Saturday after visiting relatives in Hamilton township.

A. H. Manuel returned this morning to Brownstown from a visit to Otisco and New Washington.

Mrs. John Lemon, who visited Mrs. Frank J. Smith at Chillicothe, Ohio, returned home this morning.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cornmeyer went to Jeffersonville Sunday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Henry Keeper.

Conductor DeFrates and family arrived this forenoon from Delhi, Ohio, to visit the family of Lou Prewitt.

Bert Edmondson, came in from St. Louis, Sunday morning and spent the day here with friends and relatives.

Mrs. H. C. Johnson returned from an extended visit with relatives at San Antonio, Texas, Saturday afternoon.

Presiding Elder Baxter conducted services at Brownstown Sunday morning and at Columbus Sunday night.

Prof. Parr and wife and Harman Holtman and wife returned yesterday evening from a visit to Vallonia friends.

Will VanHarlingen, of Pittsburg, spent Sunday here the guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boake.

Miss Macie Johnson came down Saturday evening to spend Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Johnson.

Mrs. Clark Cummins, of Indianapolis, came down this morning to visit her parents, George W. Humphrey and wife, at Vallonia.

W. F. Bush received word from Indianapolis this morning that his mother was much worse. He leaves this evening to see her.

John Stobo, William J. May and Dallas Reeves, the members of the Columbus school board, and Supt. Thos. J. Fitzgibbon, were here today on their way to Bedford.

Dr. H. A. Cummings, of Clearspring, went to Indianapolis Saturday evening for the seventh time in five months to have his eyes treated.

Rev. George Church and family, of Otisco, spent the day here on their way to Indianapolis. While here they were guests of Dr. and Mrs. M. F. Gerrish.

Daniel Dennison went to Indianapolis today to remain until after the monument dedication. He is detailed as one of the color guards of the 67th Indiana.

PURE FOOD LAWS ENFORCED.

More Groceries Fined for Selling Alum Baking Powder.

The St. Louis papers report several more groceries brought to trial upon the charge of selling baking powder containing alum in violation of the law. The parties were all convicted and each fined \$100.

Several baking powders which have been found by analysis to contain alum have been offered in this market. They are called

KENTON,
CLABBER,
CLIMAX,
JAXON,
CALUMET.

In many places similar powders, under these or other names, are offered for sale at from ten to twenty cents a pound.

Good baking powder is one of the most useful things in the kitchen. There are several good powders on the market; housekeepers will help the authorities in their efforts to promote the sale of pure and wholesome food, if when buying baking powder they will insist upon having some one of the well known brands of cream of tartar powders, which are pure and healthful beyond a doubt.

Dewey's Men Used Coffee.

CANTON, O., April 29.—Dewey's men fought the battle of Manila on coffee alone. Mrs. Carrie Herspool, who teaches a Sunday school class in the First Presbyterian church here, was told by some boys in her class that Dewey's tars were served liquor during the battle. She wrote to the admiral and received the following reply:

"Dear Madam: Acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 22d inst., I am very glad to have the opportunity of correcting the impression which you say prevails among your Sunday school scholars that the men of my fleet were given liquor every twenty minutes during the battle of Manila bay."

"As a matter of fact, every participant from myself down fought the battle of Manila bay on coffee alone."

"The United States forbid taking liquor aboard the ship except for medicinal uses and we had no liquor that we could have given the men, even had it been desired to do so. Very truly yours."

GEORGE DEWEY."

MARRIED.

MONNING—SCHULTE.
Edward Monning and Miss Emma Schulte were married at 12 o'clock Sunday at the German Lutheran church, Rev. Philipp Schmidt, officiating. They will make their home in this city. He is in the grocery business, having a store on Jackson street.

Indianapolis Crowd.

The crowd to Indianapolis this morning was much larger than the railroads anticipated, therefore the trains north were crowded. The train passing here at 9:32 was crowded even to the baggage car. Agent Wray and T. J. Gore sold fifty tickets to Indianapolis this morning and there were seventy-five transfers from the Southern Indiana.

The New Furniture Factory.

The work on the new furniture factory building is progressing nicely. The brick work on the south half of the building is almost completed and on the north half it is going up rapidly. The building is being substantially built and will be an imposing structure when completed. At the present rate it will not be many weeks until the building will be enclosed and ready for the machinery.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, Ohio.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last fifteen years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.
WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

O. H. Montgomery, W. P. Masters, John M. Lewis, Jos. H. Shea, D. W. Johnson, Dr. Hill, Dr. Shields and others went to Indianapolis last night to be present at the continuation of the water works trial in the federal court today.

When having a carpet laid the good house wife puts down soft bedding of thick layers of newspapers or of brown paper. The printer's ink on newspapers is disliked by the clothes moth, which will avoid carpets with such lining as a place unsuitable for the laying of its eggs. Thus thick folds of newspapers laid evenly will not only provide a means for using all old papers, give a thick padding for the carpets, but relieve the housewife of one source of worry—moths in their best carpets.

BUSINESS NOTES.

□ Jerry Anderson was at Indianapolis Sunday.

August Pierrre, of Ewing was in town today on business.

Jacob Hinkle, of Clearspring, is here today on business.

Will Hamer has taken his old place at Geo. Cole's cigar store.

Joseph Ryan, of Elizabethtown, transacted business here today.

Joe Rottman went to Terre Haute, this morning on the Southern Indiana.

James Rinehart went to Marysville today to receive some timber for the Hub & Spoke factory.

Prof. H. C. Montgomery has purchased a beautiful new survey of the Kessler Hardware Company.

Joe Ackerman's lath and column factory is being improved with some more new machinery today.

Ed. Bennett, of Cortland, one of J. H. Hodapp's straw-balers, went to Waymansville this morning.

J. H. Andrews, B. F. Price, E. O. Kruger, Henry Price, W. F. Peter, Chas. H. Cordes, Dr. Casey and Louis Schneck were passengers to Indianapolis this morning.

Mrs. Ewing Shields left this morning for Attica, where they will reside until Shields & DeGolyer have finished their gravel road contracts in Fountain county.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

Will Everhart who was accidentally hurt on the B. & O. S-W. railroad last winter, will resume work in a few days.

DIED.

WILSON.—Willie Wilson, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dunham Wilson died at the family home on West Tipton street at 1 o'clock, Monday, May 11.

All Eyes on Texas

Great is Texas. Her vast cotton crops and marvellous oil discoveries amaze the world. Now follows the startling statement of the wonderful work at Cisco, Texas, of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. "My wife contracted a severe lung trouble," writes editor J. J. Eager, "which caused a most obstinate cough and finally resulted in profuse hemorrhages, but she has been completely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery." It's positively guaranteed for coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at W. F. Peter's Drug Store.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at this place, and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

LADIES. GENTS.
Rockwell Alice Mrs. Hannigan Geo. Mr. Seifert H. H. Wilson H. A.

W. P. MASTERS, P. M.
Advertised May 12, 1902.

Dr. Albert Nelson, of Crothersville, who has just graduated from medical college was here Saturday. He is thinking some of locating here for the practice of medicine.

Walter Kirsch, of Columbus, spent Sunday with relatives here. He returned last evening accompanied by his wife, who has spent some time with her parents here.

Bruce Murphy and wife and Ted Emery and wife and daughter and Red Lehan left today for Norfolk, Virginia, to attend the engineers' convention. They will be gone about three weeks.

Shudders at His Past.

"I recall now with horror," says Mail Carrier Burnett Mann, of Leavanna, Ohio, "my three years of suffering from kidney trouble. I was hardly ever free from dull aches or acute pains in my back. To stoop or lift mail sacks made me groan. I felt tired, worn out, about ready to give up, when I began to use Electric Bitters, but six bottles completely cured me and made me feel like a new man." They're unrivaled to regulate Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed by W. F. Peter, Druggist. Only 50 cents.

Fast Friends.

RUSHVILLE, IND.
MESSRS. ELY BROS.—I have been a great sufferer from catarrh and hay fever and tried many things, but found no permanent relief until I found it in Ely's Cream Balm about eight years ago, and we have been fast friends ever since. (Rev.) R. M. BENTLEY.

Prove its value by investing 10 cents in trial size of Ely's Cream Balm. Druggists supply it and we mail it. Full size 50 cents.
ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., New York.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Castoria*

Tone and Invigorate Your System this Spring by Using

Meyer's Sarsaparilla

AND

Great Blood Purifier

GEO. F. MEYER, DRUGGIST,
S. Chestnut St.
PHONE 247.

MUSLIN BARGAINS!

Just received, a bale of Mill End Unbleached Muslin of over 1000 yards in small bolts of 20, 21 and 24 yards to the bolt. This good heavy weight muslin we bought much less than the regular price, and will offer this 7 1/2 cents grade at

6 Cents a Yard by the Bolt.

L.F. MILLER & CO

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Window Shades and Mouldings
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We sell Noxall's Ready Mixed Paints, the Best on the Market. Every can guaranteed. We are Practical Plain and Decorative Paper Hangers and Painters.

We do our own work, therefore we can do your work cheaper.

DEHAVEN & HUNTERMAN,
OPERA HOUSE BLOCK.

PIANOS
—AT—
Factory Prices
FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS.

CALL AT 124 S. CHESTNUT ST.
Tuning and repairing by a first class tuner.

E. M. YOUNG

"KEEP YOUR EYES OPEN."
For you can't see if you don't," remarked a child the other day. "Some people can't see anyway because they have not had their eyes properly attended to. Give us a trial at testing your eyes and fitting glasses and we guarantee that you WILL see."

REPAIRS On all kinds of jewelry, clocks, watches, rings, bracelets, etc., promptly and carefully made by our experienced workmen. Mr. Jackson. Prices are right on all our goods and work. Call and see our goods.

JACKSON & TINDER, Jewelers.

The Real Difference

Between trading here and elsewhere is more than difference of degree. Your money counts for material and exceptional value when dealing with us. Having superior facilities, we can supply best grades of thoroughly seasoned rough and dressed lumber, shingles, lath, etc., at distinctly low prices. Prompt delivery. Any quantity desired. Any kind you want.

The Travis Carter Co

TURNING INTO MONEY

Quickly a large collection of modern timepieces by the simple process of selling at a reasonable advance on cost.

We have never believed in the policy of exorbitant profits and infrequent sales. Prefer to keep stock moving by selling at low figures. The prices on these handsome, high-grade

WATCHES AND CLOCKS

Is proof of this. Give us a call and let us point out the value of some of our offerings.

J. G. LAUPUS, Jeweler and Optician.
CHESTNUT STREET.

You Might Trim Your Walls With Flowers.

—Real violets, roses, lilies-of-the-valley—almost any blossoms—and they won't be a bit prettier than the wall paper we have. Besides it won't cost more, and be lots of trouble. We will put any paper you select on any room in your house and we will make no mess or bother. Papering has come to be such a science nowadays, and paper is so cheap, that people don't wait until spring cleaning. They change the paper on their walls. Whenever they get tired of it, or it is the least soiled.

We're at your disposal at anytime, go anywhere, and do all kinds of work from the cheapest to finest.

Miller's Book Store.
22 W. SECOND STREET

W. F. Peter Drug Co

This signature is on every box of the genuine **Laxative Broom-Corn Tablets** the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

Rheumatic Warped Limbs.

To suffer the most excruciating pains, to lose the use of limbs, and to have the joints swollen and disfigured is the lot of the victim of rheumatism.

Uric acid in the blood is the cause of rheumatism. If the kidneys are active, they remove the uric acid. That is their special work. If, on the other hand, the kidneys are deranged, there is sure to be uric acid in the blood and rheumatic pain through the body.

No amount of liniment will ever cure rheumatism. It sometimes relieves, but cure can only be brought about by setting the kidneys right.

The most effective kidney remedy known to man is

DR. A. W. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS.

One pill a dose. 25c. a box at all dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Company, Buffalo, N. Y.

A. J. PELLEN'S, SEYMOUR.

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The Cincinnati Enquirer

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The Problem is,

What will be the Total Vote in Ohio for Secretary of State at the general State election, to be held on Tuesday, November 4, 1902.

\$12,000 will be presented to one making the nearest correct estimate. \$12,000 additional if an exact correct estimate is made, making a total of \$24,000 for a correct estimate.

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Chance for Trips via Pennsylvania Lines at Small Cost.

In addition to the local excursions and reduced fares authorized for various events the following opportunities are offered for trips via Pennsylvania Lines at special rates:

To Indianapolis, Ind., May 12th to 14th inclusive, account Annual Encampment Grand Army of the Republic and Woman's Relief Corps Department of Indiana. Tickets will be sold only from ticket stands in Indianapolis.

To St. Paul and Minneapolis, Minn., May 17th to 19th, inclusive, account National Baptist Anniversary.

To San Francisco, Los Angeles, Cal., and Portland, Ore., May 26th to June 7th, inclusive, account Imperial Council, Nobles of Mystic Shrine, National Convention T. P. A. O. America, and Supreme Lodge, A. O. U. W.

To Denver, Colorado Springs or Pueblo Colo., June 21st to 23rd, inclusive, account Sunday School International Association Triennial Convention.

To Minneapolis, Minn., July 5th to 7th, inclusive, account National Educational Association.

To Tacoma, Wash., or Portland, Ore., July 15th to 20th, inclusive, account Annual Meeting Y. P. C. U., Society of United Presbyterian Church.

To San Francisco or Los Angeles, Cal., August 1st to 7th, inclusive, account Biennial Meeting, Knights of Pythias.

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For information about fares and other details, apply to Ticket Agents of Pennsylvania Lines.

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Excursion to Indianapolis via Pennsylvania Lines.

Excursion tickets to Indianapolis, account G. A. R. Encampment, Department of Indiana, and dedication of Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument, will be sold for all trains arriving at Indianapolis before noon of May 15th. In addition, to regular selling dates of May 12th to May 14th, inclusive. On May 15th special train returning will leave Indianapolis for Louisville and intermediate stations at 11:00 p. m. central time. For particulars see ticket agents of Pennsylvania Lines.

LITTLE LEAKS.

What They May Lead to and How They May Be Stopped.

It is possible to lose much by little. A classic case is that of the royal granary which was depleted of its stores by a succession of "one rat came and took one grain away, and another rat came and took another grain away." So fortunes are dissipated, and reputations are destroyed, and health is ruined and character itself lost—by little extravagances, little indiscretions, little negligences, little obliquities.

Benjamin Franklin was a great economist not alone of money, but of time. He said, "To teach a young man to shave himself is as good as to give him a purse of gold." He had reference to the minutes as well as the dimes it costs to patronize the barber.

Ellihu Burritt stopped the leak in his time and taught himself a dozen languages. Gladstone was equally wise, for he read Plato in his carriage between Carleton terrace and the parliament buildings.

A prosperous man ascribed his success in business to his habit of permitting no particle of material to be unproductive. He experimented and elaborated until he found a method of disposing profitably of every atom left over.

There is a man in New York who has in bank a goodly sum of money which he calls his "tit bit fund." When tempted to needless expenditure by the specious plea, "Tis but a nickel or a quarter or a dollar," he denies himself and drops the amount he would have spent into a portable bank, which is filled with amazing rapidity. That is one way to stop a leak.

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JUST ONE BOY'S WAY

THE DRAMA THAT WAS ENACTED ON A STREET CAR.

A Pocket Exploration That Held the Passengers Breathless and Proved Eminently Satisfactory to the Persistent Youngster.

When this small boy on the Ninth street car went into his clothing after his car fare, the other passengers betrayed little or no interest in him. He was an ordinary, snub nosed, freckle faced boy of nine or ten, and it seemed pretty safe to assume that he had the nickel necessary for a ride or he would not have swung aboard, and so the passengers paid little or no attention to him. The men, as usual, occupied themselves in pretending that they weren't looking at all at the good looking women in the opposite seats, and the women, also as usual, endeavored to convey the impression that they didn't know there was such a creature as a man within a hundred miles of them.

But when this small boy began to take his troubles all hands got to looking him over. Everybody, it would appear, likes to see a small boy in trouble anyhow.

The boy plowed around in the lining of the right hand pocket of his shabby little overcoat, screwing himself into many possible attitudes as he stood and wriggled in the aisle, and finally, after terrific exertion, he brought forth a penny, half buried in a lot of woolly stuff from the coat. Then he turned his attention to the lining of the left hand pocket of his overcoat. After almost superhuman difficulties, in the process of which it looked as if the boy might get himself wrapped around an invisible axis several times in such a manner that he could never get right again, he produced another penny, also plentifully wadded in woolen lint belonging to the overcoat.

A couple of elderly men who were reading papers side by side at the end of the car began to get nervous. They pushed back their spectacles and studied the boy's movements anxiously.

"Fare, there, son!" said the conductor.

The boy gazed reproachfully at the conductor, stuck the two found pennies in his mouth and continued his weird exertions to assemble his fare.

He unbentoned his overcoat by the simple process of giving it a yank from bottom to top, and then he dug into the right hand pocket of his jacket. That pocket, too, seemed to be liningless, and the boy had to grope through it like a cat clawing for the exit of a bag. At length he got to the end of it, and an expression of acute relief crossed his freckled features. The hand was wedged in so tightly that he had about as much trouble in getting it out as he had had in getting it in, but it clutched another coin when it finally made its appearance. This went into his mouth to join the other two. At this point the two elderly men coughed violently and scowled at the boy as if to say that they wished the infernal business were done with, but the others who were watching the boy's moves looked sympathetic.

The boy next began a laborious exploration of his right hand knickerbocker pocket, from which he produced and bestowed in his overcoat pocket many articles peculiar to boys—marbles, a piece of wax, a rusty looking knife, two or three printed celluloid buttons, and so on—and at the very bottom of this salvage was yet another penny. All the other passengers except the two elderly men breathed sighs of relief, but they wanted to read their papers, and yet they couldn't while this boy was engaged in his eventful search, with the chances about even whether he'd win out or not.

"Fare now there, kid!" said the conductor, once more tackling the boy. The boy handed him the four pennies from his mouth after very politely rubbing them off on his overcoat sleeve, and he said, with a very boyish grin: "I got the other one somewhere. Wait a minute, mister."

Then the boy gazed up at the ceiling of the car and studied for a moment, while the other passengers except the two elderly men, who looked ferocious, roared for him with all their might.

The boy felt tentatively at his left hand knickerbocker pocket, but it was plain to see that he knew that was no go. For about half a minute he looked worried, and the sympathetic passengers worried along with him, as could be seen by the tense expression on their faces as they regarded every movement of the boy with strained, almost feverish attention. Then the boy reached into a back pocket of his knickerbockers, brought forth one of those celluloid traveling soap boxes, somewhat battered, took off the lid, and there, buried in a lot of junk, was the other cent.

The sigh of relief that ran around that car was distinctly audible. The sympathetic passengers, men and women, settled themselves back in their seats and smiled at the boy, and two or three of them looked as if they wanted to jump up and suggest cheers. The two elderly men coughed violently again, readjusted their spectacles and began again on their newspapers.

Then the small boy sat down, took a neat looking change purse from the inside pocket of his overcoat, dumped the contents—about \$2 in quarters, nickels and dimes—into his hands and began counting it, whereupon the passengers who had been rooting for him but a moment before instantly forgot him and looked at him as if they considered him a bad lot and a boy bound straight for state's prison or worse—Washington Star.

Lack of sense is too often blamed on lack of confidence.—Atchison Globe.

HEROISM AT A FIRE.

The Result When Neither Girl Would Climb Down First.

Not long ago a hotel was partially burned and was the scene of some sensational escapes as well as of more than one death. A young woman was telling of her experiences on that night, when she and a friend occupied a room on the third floor. They had been talking until a late hour, when they were startled by the cry of "Fire!"

"We jumped up," said the girl, "and rushed to the door. Flames filled the corridor. The elevator shaft and the fire escapes were quite cut off from us, and nothing remained for the people on our side but to use the windows. As Kate and I stared out at the red glow in horror one or two people passed the windows, letting themselves down by the ropes. We looked out at them, dazed for a moment, and the crowd below shouted, 'Don't jump! Then my brain cleared. I am pretty good at climbing, and somehow the idea of my being injured never entered my head. I said to Kate: 'Quick! Take the rope and let yourself down!' Kate turned to me and said quietly, but firmly: 'I am stronger than you. You go first.'"

"I won't," said I, with insinuating contempt. 'You know I can always take care of myself.'"

"I shan't go first," said Kate. "Then we both lost our tempers. 'Kate,' I said, 'your chief fault always was obstinacy.'"

"Oh," said she in withering scorn, "and you're not at all obstinate, staying up here to burn!"

"One form after another passed the window. The flames shone brighter than ever. I was furious at Kate and she at me. We shook our fists at each other. The crowd shouted, 'Don't jump!' and I shrieked back at them: 'I'm not going to jump, you idiots! It's Kate's fault!'"

"Really, when I think of the names we called each other, standing there with death creeping closer every moment, I blush. The crowd yelled frantically. 'I won't go first!' I shouted at Kate.

"I won't stir an inch!" she shrieked at me.

"Then we'll die!" I cried melodramatically.

"Don't be a fool! Take the rope!" she yelled.

"No!" I shouted. Just then there was a great shout at the door, and the firemen shouted in the corridor, 'It's all out!' Kate and I fell into each other's arms hysterically. We vowed never to speak of our idiocy, but we have a sense of humor, and so we've both told the story of our heroism.—New York Tribune.

FUN FOR THE DINNER TABLE

Suggestions by Which a Hostess Can "Make" Conversation.

A hostess always finds that it requires more tact to keep the ball of conversation rolling while her guests are at table than any other time. The following suggestions may prove of value as an ice breaker:

To each guest give a card on one side of which is a dainty pen and ink sketch of some vegetable, an artistic bunch of celery, lettuce or fruit. On the opposite side have the heading:

"HOW SOME OTHER PEOPLE ATE."

Below have the following statements, the descriptions to be answered by words ending in "ate."